# **RELATIONSHIP**

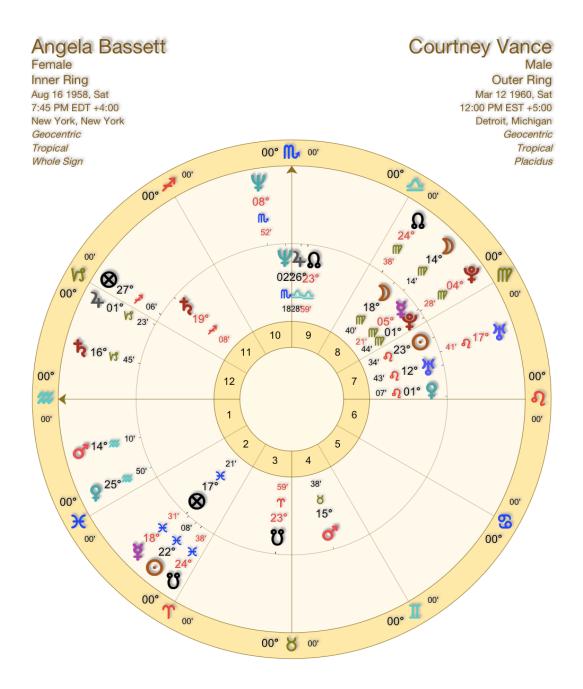
# An Astro Gold Report for Angela Bassett and Courtney Vance



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# Astrological Summary

### **Chart Point Positions: Angela Bassett**

Planet	Sign	Position	House	Comment
The Moon	Virgo	18°Vi40'	8th	
The Sun	Leo	23°Le34'	7th	
Mercury	Virgo	05°Vi21'	8th	
Venus	Leo	01°Le07'	7th	
Mars	Taurus	15°Ta38'	4th	
Jupiter	Libra	26°Li28'	9th	
Saturn	Sagittarius	19°Sg08'	11th	
Uranus	Leo	12°Le43'	7th	
Neptune	Scorpio	02°Sc18'	10th	
Pluto	Virgo	01°Vi44'	8th	
The North Node	Libra	23°Li59'	9th	
The South Node	Aries	23°Ar59'	3rd	
The Part of Fortune	Pisces	17°Pi21'	2nd	

### **Chart Point Positions: Courtney Vance**

Planet	Sign	Position	House	Comment
The Moon	Virgo	14°Vi14'	4th	
The Sun	Pisces	22°Pi08'	10th	
Mercury	Pisces	18°Pi31'	10th	
Venus	Aquarius	25°Aq51'	9th	
Mars	Aquarius	14°Aq10'	8th	
Jupiter	Capricorn	01°Cp23'	6th	
Saturn	Capricorn	16°Cp45'	7th	
Uranus	Leo	17°Le41'	3rd	
Neptune	Scorpio	08°Sc52'	5th	
Pluto	Virgo	04°Vi28'	3rd	
The North Node	Virgo	24°Vi38'	4th	
The South Node	Pisces	24°Pi38'	10th	
The Part of Fortune	Sagittarius	27°Sg06'	6th	

# Synastry Aspects: Angela to Courtney

Planet	Aspect	Planet	Orb	App/Sep
The Moon	Conjunction	The Moon	4°26'	Applying
The Moon	Opposition	The Sun	3°27'	Separating
The Moon	Opposition	Mercury	0°08'	Separating
The Moon	Trine	Saturn	1°54'	Applying
The Moon	Conjunction	The North Node	5°58'	Applying
The Moon	Opposition	The South Node	5°58'	Applying
The Sun	Opposition	Venus	2°16'	Separating
The Sun	Conjunction	Uranus	5°53'	Separating

The Sun	Trine	The Part of Fortune	3°31'	Separating
Mercury	Trine	Jupiter	3°58'	Applying
Mercury	Conjunction	Pluto	0°53'	Separating
Mars	Trine	The Moon	1°24'	Applying
Mars	Sextile	Mercury	2°53'	Applying
Mars	Square	Mars	1°28'	Applying
Mars	Trine	Saturn	1°07'	Separating
Mars	Square	Uranus	2°03'	Applying
Jupiter	Trine	Venus	0°37'	Applying
Jupiter	Sextile	The Part of Fortune	0°37'	Separating
Saturn	Square	The Moon	4°54'	Applying
Saturn	Square	The Sun	2°59'	Separating
Saturn	Square	Mercury	0°36'	Separating
Saturn	Trine	Uranus	1°26'	Separating
Saturn	Square	The North Node	5°30'	Applying
Saturn	Square	The South Node	5°30'	Applying
Uranus	Opposition	Mars	1°26'	Separating
Uranus	Conjunction	Uranus	4°58'	Applying
Uranus	Square	Neptune	3°51'	Separating
Neptune	Trine	Venus	6°27'	Applying
Neptune	Sextile	Jupiter	0°55'	Applying
Neptune	Conjunction	Neptune	6°33'	Applying
Neptune	Sextile	Pluto	2°09'	Applying
Pluto	Opposition	Venus	5°53'	Applying
Pluto	Trine	Jupiter	0°20'	Applying
Pluto	Conjunction	Pluto	2°43'	Applying
Pluto	Trine	The Part of Fortune	4°38'	Applying
The North Node	Trine	Venus	1°51'	Separating
The South Node	Sextile	Venus	1°51'	Separating
The South Node	Trine	The Part of Fortune	3°06'	Separating
The Part of Fortune	Opposition	The Moon	3°07'	Applying
The Part of Fortune	Conjunction	The Sun	4°46'	Separating
The Part of Fortune	Conjunction	Mercury	1°10'	Applying
The Part of Fortune	Sextile	Saturn	0°35'	Applying
The Part of Fortune	Opposition	The North Node	7°17'	Applying
The Part of Fortune	Conjunction	The South Node	7°17'	Applying

## **Introduction**



This report has been written to introduce you to the concepts of astrology and how to get started in relationship astrology. Astrology is a complex and meaningful science which takes years to study and apply successfully; however, we would like to whet your appetite with this report, and encourage you to deepen your understanding through other means.

Astrology is a study of the connection between planets and life on Earth. It is based on a concept that energy patterns form between other planets and Earth and that these energies affect our lives as individuals and communities.

An astrological chart, also known as a horoscope, natal chart, or birth chart, records the relationship between the planets and the signs of the Zodiac. Charts can be calculated for the birth of a person, a community, an event or anything that seems momentous. The horoscope is as individual and unique as a fingerprint.

When using these interpretations, please bear in mind that, inevitably, every chart will contain some contradictory influences, and as a result certain interpretations of different items in the same chart may seem difficult to reconcile. However, this may still be an accurate reflection your chart, as it is likely that you do experience conflicting desires, events and circumstances in your life. Usually it is the responsibility of an astrologer to synthesise these apparent contradictions in order to present a cohesive and realistic interpretation of the dilemmas of the chart.

Please also be aware of the fact that each person has positive and negative influences in the chart, and therefore in their lives. The challenge is to accept and overcome the negative influences, so that we can successfully focus on the positive traits. This report outlines the influence of both people's charts on each other. This is called relationship synastry meaning the comparison of two horoscopes and the correlations discovered. It is likely that the report will show both the strengths and weaknesses of the relationship synastry. Any advice given is meant to be an aid to a person taking responsibility for their own lives and their own choices within a relationship. The ultimate decision rests with each individual. The author and publisher accept no liability for any adverse affects of this report.

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## Individual Relating Traits



This section looks at each person's individual relationship concerns in their own personal birth chart. Every individual brings certain needs and expectations into a union, which affect his or her ability to feel loved and supported. This in turn affects the nature and course of the relationship.

#### **Traits of Angela**

#### Venus is in the 7th House

When the planet Venus is placed in the seventh house of your birth chart, relationships of all kinds feature strongly in your life, whether they be personal or business ones. Even if you have an independent side to your nature, you're more likely to seek a partner than remain single. Depending on other influences in your birth chart, you're likely to form a fortunate marriage, or perhaps marry early in your life. You enjoy being married, and delight in the social and financial pleasures that accompany a fruitful union. Any arguments are short-lived. The only problem here could be that you're more likely to bend to your partner's will because of your preference for peace and harmony. You need to make sure that you stand up for your beliefs and work towards an equitable resolution to conflict. On the whole though you're happy, enjoying the give and take required in a committed marriage. You also like to arrange pleasurable outings for you and your loved one. It's not only your primary relationship that proves beneficial. Business partnerships are also fruitful. The planet Venus is considered to be in a powerful position in the angular seventh house of a chart, meaning that you're likely to succeed in attracting a beneficial primary partner at some stage in your life.

#### The Sun is in the 7th House

Your Sun is in the seventh house of your birth chart meaning that relationships are a major feature of your life, both personal and business ones. You feel most warm-hearted and loving when relating to other people, in particular your primary partner. You really shine in your own life when happily married, living or working closely with someone else in partnership. It's not that you don't like time on your own; it's simply that you enjoy being in partnership with someone else. Depending on other sections of your birth chart, you're likely to benefit through your partnerships. You're popular amongst your friends and business colleagues and therefore likely to attract happy unions. A fortunate partnership is likely to help you shine in the world and achieve your goals, and success comes to you through beneficial business partnerships. Any difficulties that arise in these relationships can usually be resolved by talking through the problems, either with your partner or through a third party, a mediator. Ancient astrologers considered the Sun placed in the seventh house of a chart to be a fortunate position enabling a person to achieve their goals in life through their partnerships with other people. Your marriage partner needs to be sensitive to the fact that you are so relationship oriented, realizing that any threat to your union creates havoc in your personal life.

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#### Uranus is in the 7th House

The planet Uranus is in the seventh house of your birth chart suggesting that you've a need for unconventional relationships. Depending on other aspects in your birth chart, these relationships have a positive or negative effect on your life. On a positive note you attract an unusual primary partner, someone who is original or involved in an unusual occupation, perhaps even a genius in his or her field. Your marriage gives you just the right amount of freedom to pursue your independent activities. You also benefit from lively and unusual business partnerships, or a business partnership in an unusual project. On the other hand, you may experience misunderstandings and troubles through your marriage and business relationships, which can lead to separation and disputes, possibly even lawsuits. Perhaps your partner is cruel, or possibly you rushed into these partnerships with little thought of the consequences. If you've experienced troubles in your marriage and business partnerships, which have resulted in loss, then you would do well to avoid conventional partnerships in the future. You would also be wise to avoid legal conflicts, because you're unlikely to benefit.

#### Venus is in Leo

With Venus in the sign of Leo you're affectionate and passionate in your primary relationship, enjoying a sense of play and romance. You're likely to ardently pursue your partner basking in the delights and pleasures of love, particularly in the first romantic stage. Your partner is likely to benefit from your generous and thoughtful nature, enjoying being the recipient of your spontaneous gestures. However, you do like your loved one to show an appropriate amount of appreciation, and your enthusiasm for the relationship is also likely to wane if your loved one doesn't return your affections in full, also showering you with gifts and attention. With the right person you'll take great pride in the relationship, eager to share your happiness with your friends. You enjoy attending social outings where you can take real pleasure in the company of other people. Anything that provides entertainment and fun will suffice, although you may prefer attending arts activities, such as dance, theatre and art galleries. Depending on other aspects in your birth chart, you may be extraverted or introverted in your relationships. Either way it's difficult for others to resist your joyful approach to relationships, and as a result you're likely to benefit through your relationships with other people, in particular through people holding high places in society.

#### Venus is Square Jupiter

The planets Venus and Jupiter are combining unfavourably in your chart suggesting that you are somewhat fickle in relationships. It's not that you don't love your partner, but rather that the grass appears greener in other fields. Of course your ability to form a long-lasting relationship depends on other influences in your chart, but this combination suggests that you can be somewhat self-centred. When the going gets tough you lose interest and lose interest. The good news is that you're likely to benefit through your partner, despite this inconsistent side of your nature. You're optimistic and talented, full of joie de vivre and optimistic plans for the future, which are likely to be successful. You're also likely to be surrounded by supportive friends, and many potential life partners. You're seeking a relationship with someone who will expand your horizons. You love to share adventures, philosophies and goals.

#### Venus is Square Neptune

The planets Venus and Neptune are combining in a manner, which indicates disappointment in your primary relationship. The problem is that you're idealistic and unrealistic when it comes to personal relationships, lacking the discriminatory powers needed to form a steady and lasting partnership. This applies to both your personal and business partnerships. Consequently you often feel disillusioned and sorry for yourself, blaming others for failing to live up to your expectations. It's possible that your partner is indeed deceiving you in some manner, but it's also possible that you're not being honest. Either way it's likely that you're seeing your primary relationship through rose-coloured glasses, and as a result conflict arises because of your lack of discernment. You're caught in a web of fantasies and romantic illusions, either of your own or your partner's making. Coming to terms with the reality of your relationship helps you obtain a better understanding of your primary relationship, and prevents you from becoming disillusioned. Taking off the rose-coloured glasses

means that you can make a proper assessment of your primary relationship. As a result you'll experience fewer feelings of resentment and disappointment, and won't be in danger of overlooking some major flaws such as drug addiction or deceit. With the right partner you'll enjoy a sense of peace and fulfillment. You may also enjoy artistic or spiritual pursuits together. You're ardent and loving, responding quickly to your partner's need. In turn you benefit from acts of kindness, love and appreciation.

### **Traits of Courtney**

Venus is in the 9th House (Ignore because Courtney's birth time is unknown)

When the planet Venus is placed in the ninth house of your birth chart relationships are a source of spiritual and philosophical inspiration. It's important that your primary relationship be with a person who can meet you on the same intellectual level, or be a willing student of yours. Intellectual matters are not a strain, but are a source of great pleasure. Whereas some people are focused on their daily lives, you prefer to be thinking about matters further afield. Therefore you enjoy activities that stretch your mind and help you escape from the mundane world. You enjoy traveling to other countries, meeting people and experiencing different cultures. Religions also hold an intellectual interest. Your travels abroad are likely to be successful. You're also hospitable and enjoy meeting people from other countries, who are more than happy to return your hospitality at a later date. You seem to spend so much time traveling to and from other countries that your friends are hardly surprised to hear that you're likely to marry a foreigner. In some cases you marry a person with spiritual, scientific, literary or artistic inclinations. These inclinations reflect your own interests. Academic study and lectures also hold a great appeal, again because they are intellectually satisfying. If you enjoy reading, then you're more likely to read a literary work or serious study, rather than a light novel. Depending on other influences in your chart, you're likely to form a good primary relationship and enjoy good fortune in life.

#### Saturn is in the 7th House (Ignore because Courtney's birth time is unknown)

The planet Saturn placed in the seventh house of your birth chart suggests that partnerships are an important component of your life, and perhaps your profession. Marriage is a serious commitment, not to be entered into lightly as far as you're concerned. You seek a partner who, like yourself, is faithful and steady, and wanting to build a home and start a family. Depending on other influences in your chart you're likely to be cautious at all stages of your relationship and aren't one to be swayed by the first throes of love. It's likely that you'll consider your partner's actions carefully letting time pass before you decide whether or not they have the right qualities to attract your commitment. Your attitude could be off-putting to some potential partners, but you aren't overly concerned because you seek a long-lasting relationship. You may not marry at a young age. It's also possible that you marry someone from a different age group - someone younger who respects your values or someone older and able to appreciate your qualities. Your partner may own property, and be a respected member of the community. In some cases you may choose a partner who is too cold and stern, restricting your life and leading to some misery. However, it's also possible that you choose a partner who holds you in high esteem, but has difficulty demonstrating his or her affections. Either way it's unlikely that your partner is demonstrative.

#### Venus is in Aquarius

With Venus in the sign of Aquarius you're a social being by nature, enjoying friendships with people from all walks of life. This of course depends on other influences in your chart, which may indicate a preference for solitude. However, on the whole you're likely to flourish in groups of people because you make friends so easily. In other words you're a real party animal. You love to organise social events with your friends, and often receive invitations to various social events. You're the sort of person who talks to the person sitting next to you on the bus, easily striking up a conversation with a total stranger. Whether introverted or extraverted by nature you're particularly interested in sharing cultural and intellectual pursuits with your friends. It's important that you've the freedom to pursue your many friendships, and attend your group and social functions; otherwise you become restless and bored, and consequently rebellious. In fact you can also be quite stubborn, particularly in your intellectual views. At times you are given to excess, particularly in your younger days. For these reasons your primary partner in life needs to be someone who is intellectually stimulating and who understands your social butterfly urges, and is happy giving you plenty of room to spread your wings. You may find yourself attracted to unusual people, and possibly choose a partner, who's out of the ordinary.

# Synastry Between Angela and Courtney Personal Issues



This section looks at the interaction between two people and their two birth charts. It notes the nature of the relationship, whether it is likely to be a successful personal relationship or whether the forces at work are suggesting a less intimate bond. In other words how do these two people come together on a intimate level?

#### Angela's Moon is Conjunct Courtney's Moon (Orb 4S26)

The Moon is considered one of the personal planets in relationship astrology. A positive combination of personal planets is believed to augur well for intimate unions. Therefore this is an ideal combination for a close, personal relationship whether it is a close friendship or love relationship. Emotional bonds are important in personal relationships and when two people's Moons are in a positive aspect there is a feeling of empathy and understanding which is required for intimacy. Angela and Courtney can relax in the knowledge that they are compatible on an emotional level. Instinctively they feel comfortable in each other's company. They know how each other feels and are willing to consider their loved one's feelings along with their own. Angela ands Courtney enjoy spending time in each other's company because intuitively they understand each other. At times they may feel surprised at the ease with which they both are able to spend time together. Of course all relationships undergo times of strain and tension. However, in times of anxiety Angela and Courtney both seek solace in the same manner thereby reducing the possibility of extra tensions resulting through misunderstandings. In fact simply being together comforts them. This is a most rewarding personal relationship.

#### Courtney's Moon is Trine Angela's Mars (Orb 1A24)

This combination of planets denotes a relationship that is exciting and animated. Courtney and Angela's discussions are lively and impassioned and their shared pastimes are also likely to be energetic and fun. Courtney and Angela enjoy spontaneity and both tend to be impulsive when together. Both of them feel that their lives have become more effervescent with the advent of this relationship. Courtney is most likely to feel that Angela brings excitement into his life. Courtney is aware that Angela's drive and energy contributes positively to his life. Whereas Angela feels inspired by the relationship to achieve her goals. Angela acknowledges that Courtney's support and understanding is helping her to advance in life. There is also likely to be a strong sexual attraction that helps to add a little spice to life. However, this sexual attraction is most powerful when both Courtney and Angela are feeling comfortable within the association. The attraction can lose its spark when there is emotional tension. Fortunately, this does not happen often. Courtney and Angela are mostly able to resolve their differences and enjoy an enlivened and satisfying union.

#### Angela's Moon is Opposite Courtney's Sun (Orb 3A27)

'Opposites attract' could the theme for this combination of personal planets. There is an instant spark when Angela and Courtney meet, whether they choose to enjoy a friendship or a more intimate relationship. The world seems more exciting when they are together. When together Angela and Courtney are able to broaden their horizons in ways they had not thought possible. Each one seems to fill a void deep inside the other. In astrology it is considered important to have a combination of personal planets in order to enjoy a deep relationship, but this can be a difficult combination once the initial excitement has worn off. Friction easily

arises and what was once attractive becomes irritating. The success of this relationship largely depends on each person's ability to accept the other person's differences. Courtney may eventually have difficulty understanding Angela's emotional nature. Courtney may feel impatient and frustrated by the limitations placed on him by Angela. Angela may feel overwhelmed by Courtney's personality. The initial excitement of the association with someone so opposing in nature may be replaced by feelings of insecurity. It's important for both Angela and Courtney to continue to appreciate each other's differences at all times and to realise that this relationship is potentially very rewarding if the difficulties can be faced and resolutions found.

#### Angela's Moon is Opposite Courtney's Mercury (Orb 0S08)

Arguments can cause upset feelings in a relationship with this combination of planets. All types of associations can suffer some setbacks under this influence, but personal relationships are particularly fraught with difficulties. Friction seems to result no matter how Angela and Courtney try to approach each other on intimate matters. Angela and Courtney's relationship suffers because of unspoken problems, or perhaps either Angela or Courtney speaks their mind too often. Either way the problem is communication. No matter how hard both Angela and Courtney try they cannot seem to understand each other's way of seeing things and how each other feels. Misunderstandings occur when Angela expresses her feelings. Courtney thinks that Angela is expressing thoughts and ideas and is ready for a good discussion. Angela feels misunderstood. As a result Angela and Courtney alternate between passion and rationality, having difficulty understanding the other person. Angela and Courtney's behaviour seems at odds with their needs, and they do not seem to be able to comfortably settle down in the relationship. However, it's more likely that Angela and Courtney would both do well to work on their communication skills. As a result Angela and Courtney such shills which help to overcome the problems enabling them to better understand each other.

#### Angela's Sun is Opposite Courtney's Venus (Orb 2S16)

This combination of the Sun and the personal planet Venus in relationship astrology is a difficult one. It indicates that the two people have conflicting values when it comes to personal relationships, which creates problems for any long-term association. Angela and Courtney feel a strong attraction to each other, but they cannot seem to communicate in a harmonious manner. Joint decisions about relationships are difficult. Angela and Courtney argue about subjects such as the future of their relationship, family associations, money matters and creative pastimes. They just can't seem to agree. Angela feels frustrated. On the one hand Angela is drawn to Courtney. On the other hand Angela knows that she is losing her identity in this relationship, and is often floundering to express herself. Courtney is also frustrated. He feels overwhelmed by Angela's powerful personality and is unable to get on with his creative pursuits. Neither Angela nor Courtney really feels that they are benefiting from this union, and yet they feel drawn to try to resolve the problems. Depending on other connections in this relationship Angela and Courtney may finally decide to end their association or they could resolve their differences. They may need to seek counsel on how to resolve their differences.

#### Courtney's Mercury is Sextile Angela's Mars (Orb 2A53)

There is an instant spark of attraction when Courtney and Angela first meet, and this continues during the course of the relationship. The spark is likely to be an intellectual one, which may or may not result in a sexual attraction. Courtney and Angela are stimulated by each other's company, enjoying lively conversations and energetic activities. Both Courtney and Angela learn much from each other and enjoy facing challenges together which in turn help them to move forward in their own lives. This combination of the planets Mercury and Mars is ideal for any working association, which requires co-operation and drive in order to complete a challenging project. However, it can also be beneficial for personal relationships involving individuals who enjoy change and challenge. Courtney is challenged to use his wits in this relationship. Angela's drive and determination force Courtney to clarify his thoughts and opinions. Courtney is likely to find this aspect of the relationship exciting. In turn Angela enjoys Courtney's intellectual input which helps her achieve her personal goals. Together Courtney and Angela may dare to take risks in their lives which lead to adventures that might otherwise have been missed.

#### **Primary Forces**



In addition to the intimate aspect of a relationship, there are usually a number of fundamental driving forces, which can be either major challenges or inspirations to the individuals involved. This section looks at how Angela and Courtney stimulate and provoke each other.

#### Angela's Moon is Trine Courtney's Saturn (Orb 1S54)

A connection between the planet Saturn and the Moon is important. Saturn is the planet of commitment and stability and is often found in relationships that are long lasting. In other words a serious planet such as Saturn is needed for a serious, meaningful union. Angela and Courtney are satisfied with the relationship and are willing to persist through troubled times realising that the rewards are great. A satisfying long-term relationship results from their patience and persistence. Together Angela and Courtney are somewhat reserved, perhaps even withdrawing a little from society to enjoy the benefits of their relationship. They are aware that their relationship is one of the most important building blocks in their lives. There is maturity in this relationship. Perhaps Angela and Courtney have formed this relationship later in life when they can truly appreciate each other and the life that they are building together. Angela feels that Courtney is offering security and maturity, enabling her to mature in her emotional and home life. Courtney grows in self-esteem through this relationship, believing that Angela respects his integrity. On the whole this is a positive combination for an enduring, long-term relationship such as marriage.

#### Angela's Moon is Conjunct Courtney's North Node (Orb 5A58)

Both the Moon and the Nodes individually are significant in relationship astrology. The combination of the Moon and the Nodes indicates that this is an important personal relationship, one that changes the course of Angela's life and deeply affects Courtney. Angela and Courtney feel strongly drawn to each other, perhaps experiencing a sense that their relationship was written in the stars. In other words they may feel as though they were destined to meet and form a union. Whether the path of this relationship is smooth or rough, Angela and Courtney's paths were meant to cross. The nature of this association depends largely on other aspects of Angela and Courtney's charts. Passion may ignite if the right ingredients are involved, or friendship may be most appropriate choice of relationship.

#### Courtney's Moon is Square Angela's Saturn (Orb 4A54)

Many astrologers believe that a connection between the serious planet Saturn and a personal planet such as the Moon is important, enabling the relationship to be long lasting. However, this can also be a difficult connection. Courtney and Angela can both suffer from feelings of discontent and insecurity within this union. They work hard to cover up their sense that some emotional warmth is lacking, but there are times when they despair of getting their needs met. Courtney feels this lack of emotional warmth keenly. It is difficult for him to relax and feel truly appreciated in this relationship. Angela brings a certain coldness to the union, finding it difficult to generate emotional warmth. Angela may feel that her attempts at intimacy are misunderstood and met with an overly-emotional reaction from Courtney. Much work needs to be done in order to understand each other. On a positive note this combination of planets can indicate a committed to resolve difficulties. Therefore Courtney and Angela have the strong possibility of being able to stay in this relationship on a longterm basis and reap the rewards of a stable and secure union. A satisfying relationship can result from Courtney's and Angela's patience and persistence.

#### Angela's Sun is Trine Courtney's Jupiter (Orb 7A48)

The Sun and the favourable planet Jupiter are combining suggesting that this relationship is blessed with good fortune and happiness. It is an ideal combination for an intimate relationship such as marriage because it indicates shared philosophies on life and the ability to grow together. Together Angela and Courtney land on

their feet no matter how difficult a situation. They seem destined to be in the right place at the right time. Angela and Courtney enjoy each other's company, feeling all of the benefits that come with this union. Their optimism and enthusiasm are infectious, and as a couple they are popular. In particular Angela shines as a result of her association with Courtney. Angela feels able to embrace life and all it has to offer. She is aware that her union with Courtney is truly blessed and that it helps her to achieve her full potential. Courtney knows that his horizons are continually expanding through his association with Angela. Courtney feels able to conquer the world. In fact it is likely that both Angela and Courtney enjoy travelling, studying or teaching together. They enjoy sharing anything that expands their minds and contributes positively to their lives.

#### Angela's Sun is Conjunct Courtney's Uranus (Orb 5S53)

This is a relationship full of verve and romance. Angela and Courtney are attracted to each other from the moment that they first meet and continue to experience excitement and joy in each other's company. The relationship brings something new and original into Angela's and Courtney's lives and they both feel enlivened as a result. Life becomes more of an adventure when Angela and Courtney are together. Their relationship may run a somewhat erratic or unorthodox course, but Angela and Courtney are both happy in the knowledge that theirs is a unique union. Angela is excited by Courtney's creativity, which somehow enhances her personal goals. Courtney helps Angela to see life in a new and different manner, freeing Angela from past inhibitions. Courtney knows that he has encountered someone who truly appreciates him as an individual. Courtney can better express his original thoughts and ideas as a result of his relationship with Angela. Together Angela and Courtney may explore an unusual hobby or pastime such as new technology, metaphysics, science, electronics, humanitarian or environmental concerns.

#### Courtney's Sun is Square Angela's Saturn (Orb 2S59)

Many astrologers believe that a connection between the serious planet Saturn and a personal planet such as the Sun is important, providing the cement for a long-lasting relationship. In other words, a serious planet is needed for a serious, meaningful union such as marriage. It is certainly true that the combination of the Sun and Saturn is found in many meaningful relationships. However, the planet Saturn can also cause problems. Certainly this combination indicates that Courtney and Angela both view this as a serious association, whether it is a marriage, friendship or a working partnership. Both Courtney and Angela are committed to their association. It is likely that they experienced a strong attraction in the initial stages of their relationship. When Courtney and Angela first met they each knew they had discovered a potential serious relationship, one to which they could commit and build on over a lifetime. If they believe in reincarnation, then it is likely that they felt a karmic attraction when they first met. Perhaps this was a moment of recognition when they first looked into the other person's eves. However, the very qualities, which they seriously considered as attractive in the initial stages of the relationship, can become the source of friction if they are not careful. In particular, Angela needs to be wary of becoming too critical and judgmental. Initially Angela found Courtney's personality traits to be worthy of a committed union. She admired Courtney's qualities as complementing her own. However, it is easy for Angela to forget this attraction. As the relationship develops she feels threatened by the force of Courtney's personality and takes a superior attitude in defence. As a result Courtney feels threatened, disliking the authoritarian side of Angela. If Courtney is not careful his self-confidence is whittled away and the relationship becomes onerous. It is vital that both Courtney and Angela work at developing a stable basis for communication and understanding in this relationship. If both Courtney and Angela work at maintaining their own self-confidence as well as mutual respect then they have the makings for a very successful marriage or working relationship. Much of their success may depend on other supportive, positive connections between them.

#### Angela's Mercury is Trine Courtney's Jupiter (Orb 3A58)

This is a positive combination of the planets Mercury and Jupiter and provides inspiration in any relationship whether it is a friendship, work association or more intimate union. Both Angela and Courtney discover new worlds through their association. They enjoy broadening their minds through overseas travel or by learning about different cultures in books and study courses. Philosophy, metaphysics and religion are topics of conversation, which stimulate and expand their minds. It's also possible that Angela and Courtney pursue activities connected with philanthropic or philosophical ideologies. In particular Angela's mind is extended through her relationship with Courtney. Angela is willing to listen and accept the wisdom of Courtney's ideas. In turn Angela is able to provide ways in which Courtney can better communicate his ideas. Together they are able to grow and learn.

#### Angela's Mercury is Conjunct Courtney's Pluto (Orb 0A53)

An intense relationship is the result of this combination of the planets Mercury and Pluto, with

communication playing a key role. Consequently it is vital that both Angela and Courtney communicate honestly, keeping all emotions and thoughts out in the open. This helps them to keep the relationship dynamic rather than volcanic. If Angela and Courtney enjoy penetrating discussions and passionate pastimes then all is well. If they don't then their union could become overwhelming, particularly for Angela. Together they experience a change of perception which is ultimately rewarding, although initially could be disruptive. Notably Courtney challenges Angela's way of viewing the world. This can be an excellent combination for personal and spiritual growth. Consequently it is an ideal combination for a therapist and client relationship. It can also be beneficial for an intimate relationship or friendship, if both partners enjoy intensity, and a demanding working association.

#### Courtney's Mercury is Square Angela's Saturn (Orb 0S36)

A lasting union is indicated by this combination of the planets Mercury and Saturn, but only if the pitfalls are avoided. The problems could include poor communication, judgmental or critical attitudes to each other or a fear of intimacy. On a positive note both Courtney and Angela share a mutual respect for each other and are willing to work towards sound communication. However, they are likely to strike obstacles along the way, which will test their commitment. If Courtney and Angela can overcome these obstacles then they will strengthen their bond. If not, one or both of them is likely to feel imprisoned by the relationship. It's also possible that Courtney's self-esteem is adversely affected if Angela is too critical. A personal relationship is the most difficult to balance with this combination. A working relationship is also a challenge.

#### Courtney's Venus is Trine Angela's Jupiter (Orb 0A37)

This is an ideal combination for a rewarding relationship, particularly a love union or close personal bond. Both Courtney and Angela feel at ease in each other's company, sharing a common sense of adventure and joy. The old hit song "You Light Up My Life" could be a good theme song for this relationship. Together Courtney and Angela enjoy good fortune, exploring the realms of higher learning, culture, religion or metaphysics. They may delight in traveling to foreign lands, meeting new people and discovering different ways of life. Alternatively they may take delight in joining a study group closer to home. Either way their horizons are expanded by this union and the attraction is strong. Courtney is enchanted by Angela's wisdom, experiencing a sense of being led into new and exciting territory. He loves the way that Angela contributes a sense of joy and fulfillment to his life. In return Angela enjoys the fact that Courtney is always willing to support her ventures.

#### Courtney's Venus is Trine Angela's Neptune (Orb 6A27)

Romance is the key theme of this combination of planets. Courtney and Angela feel that they have met their one true love under the influence of the planets Venus and Neptune. They meet, fall in love and create a union brimming with romance, joy and idyllic love. Whether or not this idyll lasts depends on other aspects of the association. During the course of their union they are able to interact in a loving and creative manner. It's also possible that Courtney and Angela participate in a joint creative and imaginative pursuit, inspiring each other to stretch their artistic talents. Perhaps Courtney and Angela follow a spiritual path together. Courtney is particularly attracted to Angela's artistic and altruistic nature. He appreciates all of the qualities that Angela brings to their relationship. In response Angela feels that Courtney's support enables her talents to blossom. While this attraction is more likely to involve the love and devotion associated with a strong bond such as marriage, it can also depict a creative, artistic or spiritual working partnership.

#### Courtney's Venus is Trine Angela's North Node (Orb 1S51)

This is the combination for lovers. The North Node and Venus are both highly significant in relationship astrology indicating that this association was written in the stars. It is also likely that Courtney and Angela are in love, desiring to form a close and romantic bond, rather than remain friends only. Passion, romantic love and an intense desire to relate are central to this relationship. Within moments of meeting Courtney and Angela feel they have known each other for years. They enjoy each other's company, discovering pleasures in common. If circumstances dictate that their relationship can only be a friendship, they would be wise to tread very carefully. This is not an association to take lightly. It could easily take over Courtney or Angela's lives. In some circumstances this combination of Venus and the North Node can indicate an association formed for artistic or creative projects.

#### Courtney's Venus is Opposite Angela's Pluto (Orb 5A53)

This is a powerful combination of planets indicating a strong bond, whether in a friendship, love union or work association. Courtney and Angela experience a compelling attraction to each other, one that easily becomes passionate and intense. Depending on the nature of the relationship, Courtney and Angela could easily end up in bed together. Positively they are transformed by this relationship, becoming more influential

and powerful in their own lives, even if initially they have to overcome moments of feeling powerless. However, they also experience intense emotional battles as the passionate nature of the union becomes difficult to control. If Courtney and Angela are in a romantic liaison, these emotional struggles can overflow into the bedroom adversely affecting sexual relations. It is also possible that this combination of planets indicates a love affair that is intense and fraught with emotional problems. While both Courtney and Angela experience the tension, Courtney feels more overwhelmed. He may even feel bullied by the strong personality of Angela. Courtney finds it difficult to live his life effectively while in this relationship. Angela struggles to understand Courtney and becomes impatient, wanting him to be more assertive. Angela doesn't realise how domineering she appears to be. The challenge for both Courtney and Angela is to direct their passion in a positive direction, possibly a shared artistic or creative pursuit.

#### Angela's Mars is Trine Courtney's Saturn (Orb 1A07)

Commitment is a central theme to this relationship. Angela and Courtney are striving to build something concrete whether it be a future together or work project. Together they have the strength and wisdom to achieve a shared ambition. This is not a flighty association. Both Angela and Courtney are aiming for a long-term and stable partnership. For this reason the union is likely to involve a contract, perhaps a business or marriage contract. There may also be a strong sense of destiny linked with this union. Angela contributes the drive and initiative and Courtney possesses the stability and practical aptitude. Angela wants to move forward, inspiring Courtney to overcome obstacles that stand in their path. Angela is full of enthusiasm, whereas Courtney is more cautious. At times Angela pushes Courtney forward. At others Courtney restrains Angela, proving that there is wisdom in a slow but sure path. Together they achieve success in their joint enterprises in the long term.

#### Angela's Mars is Square Courtney's Uranus (Orb 2A03)

Sexual attraction plays a key role in this relationship. Angela and Courtney find each other's company exciting both in and out of the bedroom. When Angela and Courtney first meet they experience a thrill. However, it is difficult for Angela and Courtney to maintain the excitement beyond the initial stages of the relationship. An initially challenging union quickly becomes frustrating as both Angela and Courtney try to balance intimacy and independence. Angela is irritated by Courtney's constant need for autonomy and his apparent lack of commitment. At first Angela finds Courtney's independent spirit thrilling and arousing, but she soon becomes threatened and annoyed. Courtney grows to dislike Angela's drive and determination, which he perceives as aggressive and arrogant. The challenge for Angela and Courtney is to allow each other the freedom to follow their individual interests. These moments of separation may help alleviate the growing tension and re-ignite the positive sparks.

#### Courtney's Jupiter is Sextile Angela's Neptune (Orb 0A55)

This is a union of empathy and understanding, particularly in the areas of spiritual and religious beliefs. Both Courtney and Angela understand and share each other's aspirations and dreams. At times their intuitive understanding of each other is so keen that they almost seem telepathically linked. It is possible that both Courtney and Angela share a spiritual or religious conviction and belong to the same group or church. This may be a central force in their association. It is also possible that they take part in a philanthropic pursuit such as mission work in a foreign country or working for the same charitable organisation. Whatever the outlet for their beliefs, both Courtney and Angela appreciate and enjoy each other's values, thus enabling them to better pursue a more altruistic path in life. Courtney and Angela brighten each other's lives through their shared beliefs.

#### *Courtney's Jupiter is Trine Angela's Pluto (Orb 0A20)*

Courtney and Angela are rejuvenated through their relationship. Life takes on a new glow from their first moment of meeting. In each other Courtney and Angela have found a soul-mate, someone who understands them at a very deep, metaphysical level. As the relationship develops both Courtney and Angela are challenged to reach deep within themselves in order to change and grow. Depending on their individual traits they can either enjoy this process of change or they can resist. Either way they are being dared to view their lives in a different and broader manner. Courtney and Angela encourage each other in this growth process through co-operation and understanding. Together they feel able to overcome all obstacles. As a result it is likely that, through this union, both Courtney and Angela begin to lead more creative lives.

#### **Generational Values**



Underpinning the success of many relationships is a sense of shared values. Often this comes from simply being born into the same generation. However, sometimes it is more complex. In this section we explore whether or not Angela and Courtney share the same societal values.

#### Angela's Saturn is Trine Courtney's Uranus (Orb 1S26)

The planet Saturn is a vital ingredient in relationship astrology. It is the planet that represents stability and commitment and is seen by astrologers as the necessary glue that holds a relationship together on a long-term basis. Of course not everyone is seeking long-term commitment, but for those who are Saturn is a welcome sign. In this case Angela and Courtney are approaching their union from different angles and this can be both beneficial and detrimental. On the one hand Angela and Courtney feel drawn to each other, recognising that they each have different traits to bring to this union. Angela is probably the more serious of the pair, providing stability and commitment, whereas Courtney is more likely to provide the impetus for growth and change. If Angela becomes too stuck in her ways then Courtney is able to spark a change of attitude. Together they strike a happy balance between responsibility and diversity.

#### Angela's Uranus is Conjunct Courtney's Uranus (Orb 4A58)

This combination of the planets Uranus indicates an electric connection, which excites both Angela and Courtney. They feel that they are on the same intellectual wavelength, and welcome each other's creative ideas. Together they enjoy innovative projects. Technology, science, politics, the environment, metaphysics and world events may spark their curiosity. The key is intellectual stimulation and joint discovery of new uncharted territories. Their relationship undergoes periods of upheaval, but on the whole both Angela and Courtney prefer the unexpected changes to settling into a routine. Together Angela and Courtney are able to enjoy independence, enabling each other plenty of freedom to pursue their individual activities. In some cases this combination may simply indicate that Angela and Courtney are a similar age. Nevertheless the effect is still one that enhances their relationship.

#### Angela's Uranus is Square Courtney's Neptune (Orb 3S51)

Although not a major contributor to this relationship, the combination of the planets Uranus and Neptune can cause conflict. The problem is that Angela is looking for intellectual stimulation in this partnership, whereas Courtney is seeking romance. Angela is keen to experience a certain amount of freedom in order to explore her individual pursuits. However, Courtney yearns for romance and sharing in common interests. Their values differ and it is hard to meet in the middle.

#### Angela's Neptune is Conjunct Courtney's Neptune (Orb 6A33)

This planetary combination of Neptune indicates common ideals, which can help form a basis for a relationship. However, many other combinations of planets will make a more significant contribution to this union between Angela and Courtney. In some cases this combination may simply indicate that Angela and Courtney are a similar age. Nevertheless the effect is still one that enhances their relationship because all liaisons benefit from a sharing of values and ideals.

#### Angela's Neptune is Sextile Courtney's Pluto (Orb 2A09)

This planetary combination of Neptune and Pluto indicates common values, which can help form a basis for a relationship. However, many other combinations of planets will make a more significant contribution to this union between Angela and Courtney. All relationships benefit from a sharing of values, however this combination is not highly significant.

#### Angela's Pluto is Conjunct Courtney's Pluto (Orb 2A43)

This planetary combination of Pluto indicates common values, which can help form a basis for a relationship. Similar deep forces, which enable them to understand each other's motives, may drive Angela and Courtney. However, many other combinations of planets will play a more momentous role in this union between Angela and Courtney. In some cases this combination may simply indicate that Angela and Courtney are a similar age. Nevertheless the effect is still one that enhances their relationship because all liaisons benefit from a sharing of values.

Every now and then a couple has no astrological connections in this section. This is not a common occurrence. When it does occur it shows that you are unlikely to share generational value systems. This could mean a lack of shared values which needs to be discussed and worked on. On the other hand it could mean that you have each formed your own strong value systems and that some of these do indeed match. Nevertheless this is an area of your relationship that you need to be aware of, and investigate. What are your values? What morals and values do you share? Does it matter to either of you whether or not you share moral, religious or ethical views?

## **Conclusion**



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This report is meant more of an introduction to the wonders of astrology rather than a complete course in its intricacies. Further studies, or a consultation with a professional astrologer, are encouraged to explore this most ancient scientific and philosophic tool.

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